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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application for National Phase Filing in the United States of

Applicant:

Jörg Peter Schür

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Examiner:

Duane S. Smith

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For:

METHOD AND DEVICE FOR ENRICHING AIR

WITH AN AIR TREATMENT AGENT

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Name The Director is authorized to: (check all that apply)		130	1053	130	Non-English specification			
Charge fee(s) indicated below		2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination			
Charge any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s)		920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
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FEE CALCULATION		420	2252		Extension for reply within second month	33.33		
1. BASIC FILING FEE		950	2253		Extension for reply within third month			
Large Entity Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Fee Paid	1253 1254	1.480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month			
Code (\$) Code (\$)	1255	,	2255		Extension for reply within fifth month			
1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fee 1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee	1401	330	2401		Notice of Appeal			
1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fee	1402	330	2402		Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee	1403	290	2403		Request for oral hearing			
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee		1,510	1451		Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
	1452	110	2452		Petition to revive - unavoidable			
		1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional			
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE		1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
Extra Claims below Fee Paid	1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee			
Total Claims20** = X =	1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee			
Claims - 3** =		130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner			
Multiple Dependent =	1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)			
Large Entity Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description	1806	180	1806		Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt			
Code (\$) Code (\$)	8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			
1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20	1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection			
1201 86 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3					(37 CFR 1.129(a))			
1203 290 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid 1204 86 2204 43 ** Reissue independent claims	1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))			
over original patent	1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			
1205 18 2205 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application			
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 0	Other	Other fee (specify)						
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APPLICANT'S RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 TO UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE EXAMINER'S ACTION

Dear Sir:

I <u>Introduction</u>

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